Locals.

-Civil Engineer Ludlow estimates the cost of a sewerage system for Winston and Salem at \$9,576.87, \$7,834.56 for Winston and \$1,742.31 for Salem.

-A revival in the Methodist Episcopal Church at Mount Tabor, which had been in progress for a week closed last Friday night. We understand there were about twenty conversions.

-This has not been a good year for honey in this section, too wet at the time for honey-making. Mr. W. H. Hall, of Salem, who has bees enough to give him a yield of 2,000 pounds in a favorable season, will not have 100 pounds this year.

Shell Rock.—There is a fine specimen of shell rock, where it serves as a carriage stepping stone, in front of the residence of Mr. H. E. Fries, in Salem. It is about two feet long, and one foot square, and is composed of myriads of shells of various sizes. It was taken from the quarries near Newbern.

-The county commissioners in special session last Saturday heard the contested road case of D. R. Hasten and others against the Supervisors of Kernersville township. On failure of the defendants to give bond to secure the costs the appeal was dismissed at defendants' cost and the case remanded to the board of Supervisors.

-During the revival exercises at Mount Tabor, Tuesday night last, a large copperhead snake was seen making its way out of the arbor. It was seen by but few and was promptly dispatched without creating much excitement, but shortly after another appeared in the part occupied mainly by ladies, which caused a lively flutter until it, too, was dispatched.

REPORT APPROVED .- The joint committee appointed by the city councils of Winston and Salem have examined and approved the report made by Prof. Ludlow on a sewerage system and recommend its adoption by both cities. The respective boards have not yet considered the matter but will do so shortly and it is thought will follow the recommendation of the committee.

—We are indebted to our good friend Mr. J. L. McClamrock, of Davie, for a present of some splendid apples. He also brought us a specimen of his "corn' grass, measuring 8 feet 6 inches in height. "This section will grow almost anything that we need, if the farmers would only put their attention to it," he said, and he is right. More grass, more stock, more attention to the improvement of the home and farm and our farmers would be far more independent and happy.

Mysterious Disappearance, - Miss Mary, a daughter of T. Kreeger, of Old Town, left her home at 5 o'clock on the morning of the 23d inst. and has not since been seen, although a large party has searched the country around and dragged the creeks, thinking that possibly she might have been drowned. It is said that she was last seen early that morning riding on a wagon. Her mind has been somewhat unsettled since the earthquake disturbances on the night of the 31st ult.

WHAT OUR ADVERTISERS SAY .- One of our largest manufacturers says: "The advertisement, we are satisfied, has brought us a good deal of trade and we will send you a new one as soon as we have time to get it up."

Another, in a distant part of the State, says: "I must ask you to stop the adverhave received more orders than we can fill this season."

And another: "Our little advertisement has brought us good returns and here's a bigger one."

One of our largest patrons: "We have paid you a snug sum for advertising, but we think it has paid us well."

A STRANGE CASE.—Several weeks ago we made mention of the case of Sarah, the daughter of Mr. Sam Reed, of Broadbay township, who lay for 26 days apparently asleep, and eating nothing in that time. (She was first prostrated about 15th of January last.) She talked but little, said she had been to heaven where she had seen a number of relatives and friends, naming them, who had died. Afterwards she seemed to recover and her parents were beginning to entertain hopes of final recovery, but she is now showing symptoms that indicate a return of the comatose condition. She eats comparatively nothing and is confined

-Some of the fields in this vicinity have so many scare-crows dressed up in | The fields are white and the outlook pants and stationed around that they might be mistaken at a little distance for a base ball gound with a game in progress.

-Miss Mollie Jones, an estimable young lady, daughter of Mrs. Aquilla Jones, of Salem, died Sunday night at East Bend, where she had been teaching school. Her remains were interred in Salem Cemetery yesterday.

REPUBLICAN TICKET.—The following is the County Ticket nominated by the Republican convention at the Court House Saturday: Edgar Lineback for House, M. E. Teague for Sheriff, C. S. Hauser for Clerk, J. P. Stanton for Register of Deeds, W. S. Linville for Treasurer, J. W. Jones for Surveyor, Augustus Fogle for Coroner. Jesse F. Grubbs recommended for Senate.

SAW DUST SWINDLES .- Beware of swindles—Northern counterfeit dealers and saw dust swindlers are sending their circulars to the post offices in this section, inviting people to invest their money in these swindles. They catch their victims sometimes too. They offer enough to make a little fortune by the investment of comparatively little money, and thus tempt credulous people who are not scrupulous as to being honest. It is needless to say that the people who invest are swindled and have a package of saw dust palmed off on them, or receive a package of counterfeit money, and take the chances of going to the penitentiary if they undertake to circulate it, and are caught. But the saw dust is the most common swindle. We are told of a young man who ordered a package from New York C. O. D., which cost him \$360. He thought he had a fortune. He paid his money, opened the box and found some saw dust. He got the saw dust and the swindlers at the other end got his money. Don't be fooled by these sharpers. Besides, you might as well steal as engage in such business.

EVERY CITIZEN OF THE STATE INTERESTED.

A Convention of all foreign-born citizens of the State, especially those who are natives of the Northern States, living in North Carolina, has been called to meet in Raleigh during the forth-coming State Fair, which will be during the last week in October. Mr. John T. Patrick has given but another proof of his indefatigable energy in working up this Convention, and we trust his success will be commensurate with the hard labor he has bestowed upon it. We learn that over 200 Northern Editors will be present and that already over 1,000 citizens of Northern birth living among us have signified their intention to be present. The object of the Convention is to show to the people of the Northern States the advantages and attractions presented by our State as a home for immigrants, and to let this come from the mouths of those who have lived among us. Every one of these should attend and by writing at once to Mr. Patrick, at Raleigh, reduced rates on the railroads can be obtained. We hope that much good may be accomplished by it.

State Items.

-A row between two negroes in Johnston county last week resulted in one chopping the head of the other nearly off with an axe.

-We were shown to-day a diamond found by a little boy in tisement for the present as we already McDowell county. It was in a rough state, yet it was a 3-karat stone.—Charlotte Chronicle.

-Hogs in upper Yadkin are dying cholera.—Harrison Crouse sowed five bushels of white Canadian wheat on 8 acres of ground and made from it 85 bushels. The land was in an ordinary state of fertility. —Salem Press.

-The beef cattle coming to our market this summer are very fine indeed, and our people are enjoyiug the luxury. It is no exaggeration to say that we are having as fine beef in our market now as you can get in Northern cities .- Washington Progress ..

not so costly a nature, however, bitten on the foot last Sunday evengoing on in Henderson at present ing by a copper-head snake. The as at any time in its history. The leg was corded and physicians sent dull summer has certainly not for. They poured whiskey into the seemed to affect this branch of our youth and the poison was neutralbusiness. Contractors have been ized. The foot and leg swelled conbusy all the time.—Henderson Gold- siderably but the danger was soon

-Cotton picking is now in order. seems to be very encouraging .-Washington Gazette ..

-Fodder pulling in this section nearly finished, and cotton opening fast and picking is under full headway. Farmers look more cheerful and the merchants are smiling. The prospects for a good fall trade look bright.—Smithfield Bud.

-A young man named Samuel Black was bitten on the hand by a copper-head snake at W. K. Eldridge's shuttle block factory near the Cid mine last week. Remedies were promptly administered, and though the hand and arm swelled badly and he suffered much pain, Mr. Black was able to be about after two or three days .- Davidson Dispatch.

-Rev. A. W. Beck writes us from Transylvania county that he is informed that a valuable corundum mine has been discovered in that county near the mouth of Little River. Also good mica prospects on Davidson's River, and gold, silver and asbestos in Glancester township.—Hendersonville Times.

-Our farmers are meeting with much success in curing tobacco, although the leaf is not as large or rich as heretofore but is being cured equally as bright. --- Many of our farmers are complaining of the worm which is so destructive to the tobacco crop. They say that the worm is more numerous this year than it has been for several years past .- Anson County Courier.

-Our hogs continue to die of cholera. The prospects for a crop of bacon is indeed poor. Our farmers have very few hogs to fatten. ----We regret to learn that the railroad from Cameron to Carthage is not likely to be built soon. The survey showing that it would cost more than was anticipated, and the enterprise has been abandoned for the present. The grading of our road is nearly finished. The front squad of hands is within a few hundred yards of the terminus. There is another squad blasting some rock in the track this side of Turkey ereek. The engineer with some carpenters are building the trestles, and the track laying comes on apace. The people of our borough expect to use the road in visiting the State Fair.—Chatham Home.

-A Danbury man claims that he furnished a family (all 'tater eaters) off the product of one-fourth acre of land, from the first of June to the first of September, and then put up 125 bushels of as fine Irish potatoes as anybody has seen in this part of the State. The Pepper Mining a few days since from a Richmond party for twenty thousand pounds of scrap mica. It is said to be used in the manufacture of paint for house roofs, axle grease, and what is called diamond dust used for orna menting Christmas goods, &c .-We are informed that Messrs. McRay & Co., of Washington City, D. C., have purchased several hundred acres of land a short distance west from Danbury and will commence in about two weeks mining for silver. The analysis of several specimens is said to show a good per centage of silver. We also learn that a Northern company will commence mining mica near Danbury in a short time.—Danbury Reporter.

-A fatal disease is reported as prevailing among the hogs in North Iredell and across the line in Wilkes. Alfred Warren, Esq., of Hunting Creek, has lost all of his. Mr. E. M. Couch last week lost three which would have aggregated 800 lbs. Many others have died and many others are sick. The disease is supposed to be cholera.—Mr. E. F. Cass, of Union Grove township, last Friday killed an immense bald eagle. It measured 7 feet from tip to tip of its wings, and its talons, when spread out measured 7 inches across. It was perfectly black except as to its head, neck and tail, which were snow white. Mr. Cass shot the bir at a distance of 60 yards while it sat in a pine tree, with a rifle which carries a ball smaller than a buck-shot. A 17-year old son of Mr. Jonathan Davis, who lives about -There is as much building, of three miles northwest of town, was past .- Statesville Landmark.

Breaks continue light since last report with a very small proportion of bright Tobaccos offering. All sound, desirable Tobacco selling fairly well. We make no change in figures:

CORRECTED WEEKLY AT THE WAREHOUSES.

Lugs-	Common, sound, \$	3.50	to	\$ 4.50
**	Medium,	5.50	to	7.00
	Good,			
	Fine,			
LEAF-	Common,	4.50	to	\$ 6.00
"	Medium,	7.00	to	9.00
	food,			
CUTTER	s.—Good,	18.00	to	\$22.50
44	Fine,	25.00	to	30.00
RICH, V	VAXEY FILLERS	\$12.50	to	\$18.00
WRAPP	ERS-Common,	\$18.50	to	\$22.50
44	Medium;	25.00	to	30.00
66	Good,			
•				65.00

Produce Market.

The prices of many of the articles enumerated below are materially affected by the "law of supply and demand," bu this table is corrected weekly by some of our largest and most reliable dealers, and our readers may accept the quotations as approximately correct:

	approximately correct:	
	Wheat, white, per bushel	\$1.00 to 1.25 8) to 1 10
	Corn. per bushel	60 to 65
	Corn Meal, per hundred,	1.40 to 1.50
	Oats, per bushel	50 to 61
	Beans, per bushel, colored	
•	" " white,	1.00 to 1.50
	Peas, " "	75 to 1.00
	Elar Cood non hundred	1.25 to 1.40
	Flour, " " "	2.25 to 3 75
	Hay, " "	75 to 1,00
	Butter, fresh, per lb.,	15 to 22
	in ferkins, per lb.,	
	Beeswax, per lb.,	20 to 25
,	Tallow, " "	6 to 7
	Country Meat, hog round, per lb.,	8 to 10
	" Hams, per lb.,	12 to 15
	" Shoulders, per lb.,	8 to 10
L	Chickens,	20 to 25
	" Spring,	10 to 18
1	Eggs, per doz.,	10 to 121/6
-	Honey, strained, per gallon,	80 to 1,00
	" in comb, per lb.,	8 to 10
	Irish Potatoes, new crop, per bush	35 to 45
•	Potatoes, sweet	40 to 50

DRIED FRUIT.

Dried fruits of all kinds are coming in and the following prices are fully established as quoted by Hinshaw &

bynum:				
Blackberries,	. 0	to	7	cts
Cherries,	. 63	to	8	
Quarter large cut apples,	1	to	11	6.6
Bright sliced apples	1	to	14	"
Fancy sliced apples,		to	2	44
Extra Fancy sliced apples,		to	3	- 66
Half peaches,			24	44
Quarter peaches,			2	- 44
Bright peeled peaches,			5	
Fancy peeled peaches,			7	44
Extra Fancy peeled do,		to	8	44

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